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TREATMENT AND PREVENTION OF ORTHOPOXVIRUS

INFECTIONS AND ASSOCIATED DISEASES

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to the issuance of a first Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.